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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated February 9, 2006, twice and/or finally rejecting the following claims: <u>1-14</u>, <u>16-38</u> and <u>40-50</u>.

\boxtimes	The Fee for this Notice of Appeal (37 CFR § 1.17(b)) is		\$ <u>500.00</u> .
\boxtimes	Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of February 9, 2006 to and through June 16, 2006, for an extension of:		
	1 month (\$120) 2 months (\$450) 3 months (\$1,020) 4 months (\$1590)	Total:	\$ <u>120.00</u> .
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27. above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:	Therefore, the fo	se shown \$
\boxtimes	Payment of \$ 620.00 by Credit Card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17		
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